

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
DIVISION OF PROBATE
LAKE COUNTY, OHIO**

IN RE:)	
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LOCAL RULE 73.1)	
)	<u>JUDGMENT ENTRY</u>
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Pursuant to Sup.R. 75 and for good cause shown, to-wit: The expeditious, orderly and fair operation of the court, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED** that Local Rule 73.1 of the Rules of Probate Court of Lake County, Ohio, adopted May 7, 2007, is repealed and replaced with the following amendment:

Rule 73.1. Ordinary and Extraordinary Services.

Guardians, unless otherwise provided by law, are allowed an amount for ordinary services not to exceed the following:

- (A) 4% on all amounts received and 4% on all amounts paid out during accounting periods on sums not exceeding \$100,000;
- (B) 3% on all amounts received and 3% on all amounts paid out during accounting periods on sums in excess of \$100,000;
- (C) no percentage will be allowed on balances carried forward from one accounting period to another;
- (D) an investment of funds is not to be considered an expenditure;
- (E) a final distribution of unexpended balances to a ward at the closing of a guardianship shall be considered an expenditure.

Guardian fees may be deferred one accounting period only.

On motion, the court may make further allowances for extraordinary services or expenses when it is shown that the allowance is just and reasonable.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

JUDGE TED KLAMMER